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Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
5th July, 1879.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

SAMUEL ARCHER, Esq., to be Assessor and Collector, under the "Assessment Act, 1876;" and Collector of School Tax, under the "School Tax Act, 1876," for the Lightning Creek Polling Division of the Electoral District of Cariboo, *vice* George Byrnes, Esquire.

ABRAHAM BARLOW, Esq., to be Assessor and Collector, under the "Assessment Act, 1876;" and Collector of School Tax, under the "School Tax Act, 1876," for the Quesnellemouth Polling Division of the Electoral District of Cariboo, *vice* George Byrnes, Esquire.

ABRAHAM BARLOW, Esq., to issue and collect Mining and Trades Licences in the Quesnellemouth Polling Division of the Electoral District of Cariboo.

Government Notices.

NOTICE.

A COURT of Assize and Nisi Prius, and of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, will be held at each of the following places, namely:—

New Westminster,	Wednesday, June 18th, 1879,
Yale,	Wednesday, " 25th, "
Lytton,	Saturday, " 28th, "
Kamloops,	Thursday, July 3rd, "
Clinton,	Thursday, " 10th, "
Quesnelle,	Saturday, " 19th, "
Richfield,	Monday, " 21st, "

By Command.
T. BASIL HUMPHREYS,
Provincial Secretary.
Victoria, 17th May, 1879.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

\$500 REWARD.

WHEREAS there is reason to believe that one Thomas Poole and his two children were murdered at the Half-way House, on the Pemberton Portage, Lillooet District, in April last, by some person or persons unknown.

Notice is hereby given, that a Reward of Five Hundred Dollars will be paid by the Government of British Columbia for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the offender or offenders.

By Command.
T. B. HUMPHREYS,
Provincial Secretary
Provincial Secretary's Office,
5th June, 1879.

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT TAXES
Delinquent on the 30th June.

TAXES collectible by the Provincial Government in Victoria City, Victoria and Esquimalt Districts, are payable at the Treasury, James' Bay, and become delinquent on the 30th of June, 1879.

When Taxes are delinquent, Twenty-five per cent. is added and forms part of the delinquent tax, and the entire tax delinquent bears interest at one and a half per cent per month.

IN THIS CITY—School Tax, Personal Property, and Income Tax, are payable.

IN THE DISTRICTS—Real Estate, Personal Property, Income and School Tax are payable.

Office of the Collector is at the Treasury, James' Bay, and is open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., and from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

A. C. McKENZIE,
Collector.
24th June, 1879.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

\$100 REWARD.

WHEREAS some person or persons have maliciously shot and mutilated two milch cows and a bull, the property of George Henry Smith, of Foote's Valley, Victoria District.

Notice is hereby given, that a Reward of One Hundred Dollars will be paid by the Government of British Columbia for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the offender or offenders.

By Command.

T. B. HUMPHREYS,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
June 14th, 1879.

NOTICE.

ALL ASSESSORS, under the "Assessment Act, 1876," and amending Acts, are hereby instructed to complete their Rolls on or before the 30th day of September next; and the duties of all Courts of Revision and Appeal, under such Statutes, are to be completed, and the Rolls finally revised, on or before the 31st day of October next.

By Command.

T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary
Provincial Secretary's Office,
13th June, 1879.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
12th October, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that persons, now or hereafter, requiring any of the following public documents can obtain the same on application to the Superintendent of the Government Printing Office, James' Bay, Victoria, and on payment therefor at the undermentioned rates:—

Consolidated Statutes, 1877	per vol.	\$5 00
Revised Statutes, 1871	"	2 50
Appendix to do	"	1 50
Yearly Statutes (½ cloth)	"	1 50
Do. (in paper cover)	"	1 00
Sessional Papers	"	2 00
Journals of Legislative Assembly	"	1 50
Lists of Voters, for the whole Province	"	1 00
Public Schools Reports	"	0 50
Public Works Reports	"	0 50
Statements of Revenue & Expenditure	"	0 50
Reports of Minister of Mines	"	0 50
Separate copies of Statutes, Estimates, Returns to Addresses of the Legislative Assembly, Reports, Lists of Voters per Districts, &c., as follows:—		
Documents of 8 pages or under		0 12½
" over 8 and under 17 pages		0 25
" 16 " 33 "		0 37½
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By Command.

T. B. HUMPHREYS,
Provincial Secretary.

Copy of a Report of a Committee of the Honourable the Executive Council, approved by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, on the 31st May, 1879.

ON a Memorandum, dated 31st day of May, 1879, from the Honourable the Attorney-General, recommending that the "Allowance to Witnesses" in the Order of Council of the 3rd day of December, 1878, be amended as follows, that is to say: In lieu of the first two items appearing under the said head, the following shall be substituted:—

To Witnesses South of Yale, per day	\$2 00
" Northward and East of Yale, per day	3 00
To Witnesses who may be Chinese or Indians, a sum not exceeding per day 1 00 with reasonable expenses actually incurred in travelling, in lieu of mileage.	

And further recommending that the first item in the said Order, under the heading "In Probate," be cancelled, and the following substituted:—

"On every Probate and Letters of Administration the charge of one per cent. on the value of the Estate formerly payable by the wife or children of the

deceased, shall be discontinued; but the said charge of one per cent. shall hereafter be collected on the value of an Estate to father, mother, husband, brother, or sister of deceased; and in the case of all other legatees, or next of kin, five per cent. on the value of the Estate shall be charged."

The Committee advise that the recommendation be approved and that the change be duly published

Certified, T. B. HUMPHREYS,
Clerk Executive Council.

CIRCULAR.

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE,
OTTAWA, 29th May, 1879.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit to you herewith a printed Circular Despatch, from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, with its enclosure, respecting the appointment of a Royal Commission to promote the success of the International Exhibition to be held in Sydney in 1879, and of that to be held in Melbourne in 1880-81.

I have to request that you will cause publicity to be given thereto in the Province of British Columbia.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Under Secretary of State.

To His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor
of British Columbia, Victoria, B. C.

CIRCULAR.

DOWNING STREET,
28th April, 1879.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit to you, for publication in the Colony under your Government, copies of the Second Supplement to the London Gazette, of the 4th of April, notifying the appointment of a Royal Commission, of which His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales has consented to act as President, to promote the success of the International Exhibition, to be held in Sydney in 1879; and the International Exhibition, to be held at Melbourne in 1880-81.

I have, etc.,

(Signed) M. E. HICKS BEACH.
To the Officer administering the
Government of Canada.

SECOND SUPPLEMENT

TO

THE LONDON GAZETTE

OF

Friday, the 4th of April, 1879.

SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1879.

Whitehall, April 5, 1879.

THE Queen has been pleased to issue a Commission under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual to the effect following:—

VICTORIA, R.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith:—To Our Most Dear Son Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, Field-Marshal in Our Army, President; Our right trusty and right entirely-beloved Cousin and Councillor Charles Henry, Duke of Richmond and Gordon, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, President of Our Most Honourable Privy Council; Our right trusty and right entirely-beloved Cousin William Drogo, Duke of Manchester, Knight of Our Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick; Our right trusty and entirely-beloved Cousin and Councillor Robert Arthur Talbot, Marquess of Salisbury, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, one of Our Principal Secretaries of State; Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor Henry Howard Molyneux, Earl of Carnarvon; Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin George Henry, Earl Cadogan; Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor Somerset Richard, Earl of Belmore, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor Granville George,

Earl Granville, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter; Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor John, Earl of Kimberley; Our trusty and well-beloved Councillor Sir Michael Edward Hicks-Beach, Baronet, one of Our Principal Secretaries of State; Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Hugh Culling Eardley Childers, Fellow of the Royal Society; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir Daniel Cooper, Baronet; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir John Rose, Baronet, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir Joseph Dalton Hooker, Knight Commander of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir Frederick Leighton, Knight, President of the Royal Academy; Our trusty and well-beloved Richard Owen, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Fellow of the Royal Society; Our trusty and well-beloved Samuel Morley, Esquire; and Our trusty and well-beloved Warrington Wilkinson Smyth, Esquire, Fellow of the Royal Society; Greeting!

Whereas it has been notified to Us, through Our Secretary of State for the Colonies, that an International Exhibition is to be held in Sydney, in Our Colony of New South Wales, in the year 1879; and also that an International Exhibition is to be held at Melbourne, in Our Colony of Victoria, in the year 1880:

And whereas it is Our wish that the Manufacturing Industry, Agriculture, and Fine Arts of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of Our Colonies and Dependencies in Europe, Asia, Africa, and America, and in the remaining portions of Australasia, shall be fully and suitably represented at these Exhibitions:

Now know ye that We, considering the premises and earnestly desiring to promote the success of the said Exhibitions, and reposing great trust and confidence in your fidelity, discretion, and integrity, have authorized and appointed, and by these presents do authorize and appoint you, Our said Most Dear Son Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, President; together with you Charles Henry, Duke of Richmond and Gordon; William Drogo, Duke of Manchester; Robert Arthur Talbot, Marquess of Salisbury; Henry Howard Molyneux, Earl of Carnarvon; George Henry, Earl Cadogan; Somerset Richard, Earl of Belmore; Granville George, Earl Granville; John, Earl of Kimberley; Sir Michael Edward Hicks-Beach; Hugh Culling Eardley Childers; Sir Daniel Cooper; Sir John Rose; Sir Joseph Dalton Hooker; Sir Frederick Leighton; Richard Owen; Samuel Morley, and Warrington Wilkinson Smyth, to be Our Commissioners to obtain and distribute full information as to the best mode by which the products of the manufacturing and agricultural industry and the fine arts of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, our Colonies and Dependencies, may be procured and forwarded for exhibition, to assist with their advice and co-operation, and generally to promote the success of the said exhibitions in New South Wales and Victoria respectively:

And our further will and pleasure is that you, or any three or more of you when as so often as need or occasion shall require, so long as this Our Commission shall continue in force, do report to Us, in writing, under your hands and seals respectively, all and every the several proceedings of yourselves had by virtue of these presents:

And lastly, We do by these presents ordain that this Our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue until the close of the said Exhibitions, and that you our said Commissioners, or any three or more of you, shall and may from time to time, and at any place or places, proceed in the execution thereof, and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment; and for the purpose of aiding you in such matters We hereby appoint Our trusty and well-beloved Thomas Anthony Wright, Esquire, to be Secretary to this Our Commission.

Given at Our Court at Saint James's, the fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, in the forty-second year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's command,

RICHD. ASSHETON CROSS.

NOTICE.

KAMLOOPS DIVISION, OF YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with Clause 23 "Land Act, 1875," that all the surveyed, unreserved, vacant Crown land situated in Townships 87, 90, 91, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 99, 100, Kamloops Division of Yale District, as defined on the official map in the Land Office, Victoria, and in the office of the Government Agent at Kamloops, will be open for pre-emption and purchase on Monday, 7th April, 1879, at the office of the Government Agent at Kamloops.

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,

Victoria, April 5th, 1879.

SOUTH SAANICH DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Public Highway, which was established under Gazette Notice, dated 29th September, 1877, commencing at a point where the West Saanich Road crosses the Section line between Sections 13 and 14; thence East, along said Section line, to the line between Ranges I. and II., East, and 33 feet on each side of said Section line, is hereby varied by being reduced in width to 15 feet on each side of said Section line, under authority of Sec. 73, "Land Act, 1875."

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,

Victoria, June 27th, 1879.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands, situate in New Westminster District, have been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of J. C. Hughes, Esq., Commissioner, New Westminster:

Lots 421 and 422, Group 2.

And that claimants to any portion of this land should prove up their claims in accordance with the "Land Act, 1875."

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,

Victoria, April 9th, 1879.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with Section 1 of the "Land Amendment Act, 1879," that the purchase money, or balance of purchase money, for any Pre-emption or Pre-emption Purchase Claim which has already been gazetted as surveyed, will be payable at the Office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, or his Agent, in four equal annual instalments; and the first of such instalments will be due and payable three months after the date of this notice.

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,

Victoria, May 10th, 1879.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

COMOX DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following Lands in Comox District have been Surveyed, and the map thereof can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria:

Sections 54, 61, 62, and 64.

And that Claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in the manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,

May 27th, 1879.

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed, "Tender for Bridge on Metehosin Road," will be received by the undersigned, up to 12 o'clock, noon, of Saturday, the 12th July next, for the construction of a Bridge on the Metehosin Road.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute a Bond can be obtained, at the Office of the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, and at the residence of H. Helgesen, Esq., Metehosin.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a Bond, duly signed by the contractor himself and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to double the contract price, for the faithful completion of the work.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, June 27th, 1879.

TENDERS.**COFFER-DAM WORKS, ESQUIMALT.**

SEALED TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the undersigned, up to 12 o'clock noon of the 12th July next, for the completion, maintenance, and removal of the Cofferdam at Esquimalt, according to the intent and meaning of the contract entered into between the Government of British Columbia and Messrs. Reed Bros & Co., of England. Plans, Specifications, Bills of Quantities, and form of Tender can be seen, and forms of Bond and Agreement can be had, at the office of the Lands and Works Department, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Each tender must be accompanied by an agreement for the execution of a bond by the Contractor and two responsible persons, with a penal condition of double the amount of the tender, for the due performance of the contract.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, June 27th, 1879.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Water Supply, Lunatic Asylum," will be received by the undersigned, up to 10 o'clock A. M. of Monday, the 7th July next, for the construction of a Reservoir and furnishing and laying certain water pipes to supply the Lunatic Asylum, New Westminster, with water.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained, at the Office of the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, and at the Office of J. C. Hughes, Esq., Government Agent, New Westminster.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a Bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to double the contract price, for the faithful completion of the work.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, June 21st, 1879.

PUBLIC NOTICE.**Application for the Purchase of Unsurveyed Land.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all parties intending to make application for the purchase of unsurveyed land, and to all parties who have hitherto made such application and to whom Crown Grants have not been issued, that the provisions of Sections 6 and 7 of the "Land Amendment Act, 1879," must be complied with.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 27th June, 1879.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**QUEEN CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following lands in Queen Charlotte District have been surveyed for Mr. William Sterling, and the map thereof can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria:—

Lots 2, 3, and 4, Group 1.

And that claimants to any portion of this land should prove up their claims in the manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, June 21st, 1879.

QUALIFICATION AND REGISTRATION OF VOTERS ACT, 1876.**VICTORIA CITY AND ESQUIMALT ELECTORAL DISTRICTS.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of sub-section f of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday, the 4th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Registers of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria.

EDWIN A. LEIGH,
Victoria, 13th June, 1879. Collector.

QUALIFICATION AND REGISTRATION OF VOTERS ACT, 1876.**VICTORIA ELECTORAL DISTRICT.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday, the 4th day of August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at the Royal Oak, Saanich Road, at 12 o'clock, noon.

SAMUEL ROBERTS,
2nd June, 1879. Collector.

Miscellaneous Notices.**Insolvent Act of 1875 and amending Acts.**

In the matter of SAMUEL WALKER, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT has been issued in this cause, and the creditors are notified to meet at Office of Assignee, in Barkerville, on Friday the 15th day of August next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an assignee if they see fit.

C. T. DUPONT,
Victoria, 4th July, 1879. Official Assignee.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of GEORGE THOMAS SEYMOUR, deceased.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons having any claims against the said Estate are required to forward them on or before the 1st day of October, 1879, to

JAMES CHARLES PREVOST,
Victoria, July 4th, 1879. Administrator.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP which has heretofore existed between the undersigned, under the name of Hayward & Jenkinson, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. Charles Hayward, who will henceforth carry on the business on his own account, will receive all moneys owing to and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.

CHAS. HAYWARD,
ROBT. JENKINSON.

Witness—R. E. JACKSON.
26th June, 1879.

NOTICE.

THE undermentioned List of Lands, against which delinquent taxes and additions have been registered, is hereby published in pursuance of Section 36, "Assessment Amendment Act, 1878" :—

NEWCASTLE TOWN.

Lot.	Block.	Name of assessed Owner.	Amount.	Costs of registration.	Total Amount.
12 57	VI V }	Malcolm Munro.....	\$ 2 29	\$ 2 00	\$ 4 29
4	XXXIV	J. W. Sparrow	1 78	2 00	3 78

And Interest, at the rate of 18 per cent. per annum, from 25th February, 1879, until paid.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Land Registry Office, Registrar-General.
28th June, 1879.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of THOMAS POOLE, late of Pemberton Portage, Lillooet District, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons having any claims against the said Estate are required to forward them, on or before the 1st September, 1879, to J. C. Prevost, Esq., Official Administrator.

Dated this 18th June, 1879.

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor to the Estate, Victoria.

IN THE LAND REGISTRY OFFICE.

In the matter of the application of ARTHUR PORTER for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to Victoria Town Lots Nos. 154 and 517.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above mentioned lots will be issued to the above named Arthur Porter, on the 23rd day of August next, unless a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in the meantime, in writing, by some person having an estate or interest in said lots, or any part thereof.

The title may be searched and all affidavits and other documents filed in connection therewith may be inspected at the Land Registry Office, Victoria

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.

County Court of British Columbia,
holden at Victoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in consequence of the 1st July being a Public Holiday, the regular sitting of this Court will be postponed from Tuesday, the 1st July, to Tuesday, the 8th July, prox.

By Order.

Victoria, B. C.,
21st June, 1879.

EDWIN A. LEIGH,
Registrar.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice, under the 6th clause of the "Land Act, 1879," that I intend to apply for permission to purchase 160 acres of land on Texada Island, B. C.

The said land is situated on the Malaspina Straits, and commences at a post on a parallel line 150½ chains east of the south-east post of Lot 1 (one) at Sturt's Harbour. The measurements and bearings are as follows, viz :—From the north post 46.80 chains due south, thence 54 chains due east, thence 175 links due north, thence northward along the high water mark to the point of commencement.

The only mineral claim known to exist in this locality is that of Messrs. Higgins and Gill, which is situated about 1½ miles westward

JOSEPH SPRATT.

Victoria, B. C., 19th June, 1879.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice that, under the 6th clause of the "Land Act, 1879," I intend to apply for permission to purchase 160 acres of land on Texada Island, B. C.

The said land is situated on the Malaspina Straits, commencing at a post 106 chains due east of the south-east corner post of Lot 1 (one), near Sturt's Harbour, thence 40 chains due south, thence 48.50 chains due east to the high water mark on the Malaspina Straits, thence northward along the high water mark to the point of commencement.

The only mineral claim known to exist in this locality, is that of Messrs. Higgins and Gill, which is situated about ¾ of a mile westward.

WILLIAM FRASER TOLMIE, Jr.
Victoria, B. C., 19th June, 1879.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that under the 6th Clause of the "Land Act, 1879," I intend to apply for permission to purchase 160 acres of land on Texada Island, British Columbia.

The said land is situated near the Malaspina Straits, adjoining Southward the claim of Mr. Joseph Spratt. The measurements and bearings are as follows, viz :—Commencing at the south-east corner of Mr. Spratt's claim No. 1626, it runs due south 40 chains; thence due west 40 chains; thence due north 40 chains; thence due east 40 chains along the southern boundary of Mr. Spratt's claim to the point of commencement.

The only mineral claim known to exist in this locality, is that of Messrs. Higgins and Gill, which is situated about two miles to the westward.

ALFRED RICHARD HOWSE.
Victoria, B. C., 19th June, 1879.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Private Bills.

ALL applications for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Co.; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE, and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

THORNTON FELL,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

House of Assembly, Victoria.
June 20th, 1879.



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

GENERAL ORDER.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Parliament of Canada, intituled "The Insolvent Act of 1875," it is provided that in the Province of British Columbia the Judges of the Supreme Court, or the majority of them, may fix and settle the costs, fees, and charges of Attorneys, Sheriffs, and other persons in respect of work or services performed under such Act of Parliament; and that, until such tariff of fees should be made, the tariff already existing in the Province should continue in force.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the said Act and of every other power us or any of us in that behalf in anywise enabling, we do hereby order and direct as follows, viz:—

All fees other than those enumerated in the Schedule hereto are abolished as from this date, save for things, matters, and services already performed, which shall be charged for at the former rates and not otherwise.

And henceforth and until further order there may be demanded and taken by Counsel, Solicitors, and Attorneys, Sheriffs, and other persons, in respect of the matters and services enumerated in the Schedule hereto, the sums specified opposite to each item and no other sums, save according to paragraphs three and four of the General Order of 29th March, 1877, which are hereby confirmed and adopted as part hereof.

Dated, Victoria, 29th May, 1879.

MATT. B. BEGBIE, C. J.,
HENRY P. PELLEW CREASE, J.,
J. H. GRAY, J.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

FEES TO SOLICITOR OR ATTORNEY AS BETWEEN PARTY AND PARTY, AND ALSO AS BETWEEN SOLICITOR AND CLIENT.

Instructions for voluntary assignment by debtor, or for compulsory liquidation, or for petition where the statute expressly requires a petition, or for brief where matter is required to be argued by Counsel or is authorized by the Judge to be argued by Counsel, or for deeds, declarations, or proceedings on appeal.....	\$ 3 25
Instructions for special affidavits (if approved by taxing authority)	1 50
Drawing petitions, deeds, affidavits, notices, advertisements, declarations, and all other necessary documents or papers when not otherwise expressly provided for, per folio	0 25
Making engrossment or copies when required, per folio	0 12½
Drawing schedule list or notice of liabilities, per folio, when the number of creditors does not exceed twenty.....	0 20
Every exhibit produced and marked	0 25
When the number of creditors therein exceeds twenty, then for every folio over twenty	0 12½
Every common affidavit of service of papers, irrespective of length, including attendance, copying, and swearing	1 75
Every common attendance, per hour.....	1 50
Every special attendance on Judge	5 00
For every hour after the first (to be increased by the Judge in his discretion).....	1 50
Every special attendance at meetings of creditors, or before assignee, for the first hour	2 50
For every subsequent hour	1 50
Fee on writ of attachment against estate and effects of insolvent, including attendance	5 00
Fees on rule of Court or order of Judge.....	2 00
Fee on <i>sub ad test</i> , including attendance	1 75
Fee on <i>sub duces tecum</i> , including attendance	1 75
And if above four folios, then for each additional folio over such four folios	0 25
Fee on every other writ	1 75
Every necessary letter	0 75
Costs of preparing claim of creditors and procuring same to be sworn to and allowed at meeting of creditors, in ordinary case where no dispute	1 75

Costs of Solicitor of petitioning creditor for examining claims filed up to appointment of assignee, for each claim so examined.....	0 50
Costs of assignee's Solicitor for examining each claim required by assignee to be examined	0 50
Preparing for publication advertisements required by the statute, including copies and all attendances in relation thereto	1 00
If more than five folios, then per folio beyond five	0 12½
Preparing, engrossing, and procuring execution of bonds or other instruments of security.....	1 50
Mileage for the distance actually and necessarily travelled, per mile beyond one mile each way....	0 25
Bill of costs, engrossing, including copy for taxation, per folio.....	0 25
Copy for opposite party, per folio	0 12½
Taxation of costs	1 75
No allowance to be made for unnecessary documents or papers, or for unnecessary matter in necessary documents or papers, or for unnecessary length of proceedings of any kind. In case of any proceedings, attendances, or documents not provided for by this tariff, the charges to be the same as for like proceedings as in the tariffs of the Supreme Court in force prior to January, 1879.	
The folio to be 100 words. Every arabic numeral is to reckon as one word. A fraction of an hour or folio to reckon as a whole hour or folio.	

COUNSEL.

Fee on arguments, examinations, and advising proceedings, to be allowed and fixed by the Judge as shall appear to him proper under the circumstances of the case, not exceeding..... \$ 30 00

FEES TO CLERK OF COURT.

Every writ, or rule, or order	\$ 1 00
Filing every affidavit or proceeding	0 25
Swearing affidavit	0 25
Copies of all proceedings of which copy bespoken or required from the Clerk, per folio	0 12½
Every certificate.....	1 00
Taxing costs, and giving allocatur	1 50
For every sitting, per day	2 50
If more than one case on same day, \$5 to be apportioned amongst all the cases called on.	
Fee for keeping record of proceedings, in each case	1 00
For any list of debtors proved at first meeting (if made)	1 00
For any list of debtors at second meeting	0 50
A general search.....	0 50
A search relating to one bankruptcy, or the bankruptcy of one person or firm...	0 25
Affixing seal to any document except writ, rule, or order	0 50

SHERIFF.

Same as on corresponding proceedings conducted in the Supreme Court wholly at Victoria, according to the scale previous to 4th January, 1879.

WITNESS.

Same as on proceedings conducted in the Supreme Court wholly at Victoria, according to the scale previous to 4th January, 1879.

